

LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF IDAHO
Sixty-third Legislature First Regular Session - 2015

IN THE SENATE

SENATE BILL NO. 1005

BY JUDICIARY AND RULES COMMITTEE

AN ACT

RELATING TO EXECUTIONS; AMENDING SECTION 19-2716, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE
THAT THE IDENTITIES OF CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS PARTICIPATING OR ASSISTING
IN AN EXECUTION AND CERTAIN INFORMATION SHALL BE CONFIDENTIAL.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

SECTION 1. That Section 19-2716, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby
amended to read as follows:

19-2716. INFLICTION OF DEATH PENALTY. (1) The punishment of death
shall be inflicted by continuous, intravenous administration of a lethal
quantity of a substance or substances approved by the director of the Idaho
department of correction until death is pronounced by a coroner or a deputy
coroner. The director of the Idaho department of correction shall determine
the procedures to be used in any execution.

(2) The identities of individuals participating in or assisting with
an execution, including the onsite physician, department of correction
staff, consultants, members of the escort team and medical team, and any
information where the disclosure of such information could jeopardize the
department's ability to carry out an execution, including the source of any
lethal substances, shall be confidential. Notwithstanding any provision of
law to the contrary, any such confidential information shall be privileged
and shall not be subject to discovery, subpoena or other means of legal com-
pulsion.

(3) This act shall apply to all executions carried out on and after the
effective date of this enactment, irrespective of the date sentence was im-
posed.